

Sion Hill Estate, Mill
Queen's Quarter
St. Croix
Virgin Islands

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ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE Virgin Islands		COUNTY St. Croix	TOWN OR VICINITY Queen's Quarter
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) Sion Hill Estate, Mill			HABS NO. VI-64 C
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE			
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES)			
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) 1757 (per datestone)		ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE)	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Typical of numerous conical mill bases that dot the hills of St. Croix.			
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE)			
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Limestone blocks (load-bearing)			
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) Conical in shape			
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE Three openings, all round-arched: main entrance on west, approx. 7'-6" x 6'-6"; high opening on south approx 3' x 14'; small opening north of doorway, approx. 3' x 4'. Belt course approx. 6' below top. No roof.			
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) The top 6' all around is marked by vertical slots. No remains of structural timbers or machinery.			
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES			
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE			
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE Keystone over main entrance, "Bradshaw 1757."			
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) Field notes by J. Michael Everett, June, 1960.			
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